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In response to the Office Action dated as mailed on September 23, 2005, and having a period of response extending through and including October 23, 2005, please consider the following remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.